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FARMER'S INCOME GETS BOOST FROM THE TRACTOR

MORE LAND MAY BE TILLED AND AT LESS COST

However, Excellent Plan Is to Study Farm System Carefully Before Investing, Say Experts of the Agricultural Department Back At the National Capital.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., July 14.—A tractor may be either a profitable or an unprofitable investment. Each thing has its own peculiarities and a farmer must weigh the advantages and disadvantages carefully before buying a tractor. He should study the experience of those who have used tractors in farm work, paying particular attention to those whose farms are most nearly his own in size and system of cropping. This is advice from specialists of the United States department of agriculture. On an average one farm in thirty in the United States uses a tractor. It has been estimated by manufacturers that over three hundred thousand will be made this year. It behooves every farmer contemplating buying one to study his farm problems from every angle. The advantage of a tractor lies not so much in the reduction in the cost of doing a piece of work as in being able to do it at all. Thus the number of acres farmed can be increased and the work done quickly. Often the saving of time is the important factor in making a profit on the crop grown. A tractor can be kept on the job in hot weather when horses are at a disadvantage. It can do heavy work and do it rapidly, thus covering the double of average in the proper season. It saves man labor, thus enabling the farm to be worked with less hired help. It sometimes decreases the number of horses needed, thus saving both investment in horses and the ex-

peres under cultivation, and for such farms the two-plow outfit is usually preferred. However, most of the farms on which tractors are being used successfully are somewhat larger than this, and a majority of the tractors pull three plows. Four-plow machines are being used satisfactorily on some farms where there is a larger amount of work to be done and where the conditions are such that one man can operate an outfit of this size. Size, however, is not the only factor to be considered, and the question whether or not a tractor will prove profitable is a problem in farm management which must be worked out for the individual farm.

UNCLE SAM GETS OPTIONS ON SEVERAL TRACTS HERE

Lake E. Young, superintendent at Helper of the star mail route from that point to the Utah Basin country, was in Price last Saturday and also the first of this week taking options on property for the government. The same thing has been done at Helper and instructions say Castle Gate, too. Uncle Sam proposes constructing a large garage at one of these places to accommodate the trucks now operating to Vernal and intermediate points. Ground must be within eighty rods of the railroad depot and of ten thousand square feet. Something like a dozen locations at Price are offered. An official of the postoffice department at Washington, D. C., will come here to get over matters with Young, and at which time some selection may be made. Repair shops for the trucks are a part of the plan. The proposition means a payroll of around three thousand dollars monthly to the town having the truck drivers with it. Of course, this is expected to grow as the service develops. Utah Road company, owner of all the available ground at Castle Gate, will not offer any location there. It prefers not to have the trucks in and out of that camp.

Securely away from the lake, having a view of the lake and a view of the lake, the lake is a beautiful view of the lake and a view of the lake.

Probably the reason is that the lake is a beautiful view of the lake and a view of the lake.

When the lake is in the water, the lake is a beautiful view of the lake and a view of the lake.



The Iron Horse Saves Time When Time Is Most Valuable

SPRAY APPLES AND PEARS TO DESTROY THE INSECTS

The present season has been one of great numbers of codling moths which are now busy laying the eggs that hatch into the "codling moths" so noticeable on unsprayed fruit, says J. W. Fox, state crop pest inspector. The eggs resembling beads, are as large as tiny droplets of milk, and which may be seen upon external inspection of apple and pear fruits.

It is already done, a cover spray should be applied immediately, using two pounds of powdered arsenate of lead to each fifty gallons of water, spraying with a high pressure and a mist nozzle. The thing to keep in mind during this spray is to give each fruit a uniform spraying before the fruit drops. If the trees drop, the cost is sure to be heavy and uneven. A specimen is a good thing to use with a power sprayer for this spray.

One question often asked the inspectors is: "What about the young child who should happen to eat a sprayed apple without first carefully wiping off the coat of lead arsenate?" The hypothesis being that if the spray will kill worms it will do likewise with children. The answer is that a child would have to eat at least four bushels of heavily sprayed fruit at one time to get enough arsenic to be injurious and even in such a case there would still be room for doubt as to the probability of death from arsenical poisoning.

The chief danger to children lies in the eating of unsprayed fruit that is wormy and decaying.

STATE MADE PLAINTIFF

Under the provision of the law defining water and water rights, the state is made plaintiff in an action in the district court of Carbon county, the first case in which the state has been made a party since the law was enacted. The suit is that of Silas R. and Mary Jane Young against J. M. Williams and A. Casner, who, it is alleged, have planted plaintiffs in their rights to water from Summit Creek and from Coal Creek.

DEAL THAT MEANS BIG THINGS IN CARBON COUNTY

GREAT STEEL AND IRON AND COKE PLANT COMING UP.

Consolidation of Interests At Salt Lake City Forecasts Establishment of Huge Enterprise That Must Come Here For Certain of Its Necessities, Such As Coke.

Development of the iron and steel industries of the state is the purpose of the Utah Steel company, which has just been incorporated at Salt Lake City. With a capital of \$2,500,000 it takes over and consolidates the Utah Iron and Steel company and the Utah Iron company. Plants of both old concerns will be enlarged and the new company will begin extensive operations at once. The capacity of the two mills at the Midvale plant of the Utah Iron and Steel company will be materially increased. C. W. Whitley, vice president of the American Smelting and Refining company, is president of the new concern. Nathan Rosenblatt, formerly president and manager of the Utah Iron company, is vice president. M. H. Stoeber is treasurer and S. Rosenblatt is secretary. These, with W. S. McCormick, Lawrence Green and M. S. Rosenblatt form the directorate.

The capital is divided into twenty-five thousand shares of the par value of a hundred dollars each. There are 17,000 shares of common stock and seven thousand shares of preferred stock. Whitley subscribes for 2500 shares at a par value of \$250,000 and as trustee for the Utah Iron company. S. Rosenblatt subscribes for 2500 shares at a par value of \$250,000. Each of the other officers and directors subscribes for one share. By the sale of the two old companies, \$1,000,000 of the authorized common stock, representing ten thousand shares, is fully paid up. The company is reported to have options on considerable iron and coal lands in Carbon and Iron counties. It is stated that recent freight rate adjustments will enable it greatly to extend the scope of its activities. It is understood that the establishment of a blast furnace is contemplated by the company, it being declared that the market now open warrants it.

The purposes of the concern, according to the articles of incorporation, are to buy, sell and deal in iron, steel, manganese, copper, stone, ores, coal, coke, wood, lumber and other materials, including junk; to purchase, acquire, lease and operate lands containing these materials. The life of the concern is ninety-nine years under the articles, unless a previous dissolution should be arrived at. Some of the men connected with the corporation are known to be interested in the new rolling mill camp being opened up at this time in Water Canyon just south of Sunnyside. In fact it has lately been hinted that it has an option on this property.

STATE LOSES BIG MONEY ON POORLY BUILT ROAD

Approval of the construction of the Thompsons to Moab postroad and the Moab to LaSal Junction postroad in Grand and San Juan counties has been given by the department of agriculture and the state road commission will advertise for bids. In all probability work will begin within thirty days. On the Thompsons to Moab road, 34.1 miles in length, the cost is estimated at \$135,304.18. The state and government will divide the cost.

It is on this stretch of highway that contracts have been working a year and on which has been expended about \$25,000 by the state. Government engineers, who recently visited the section, informed the commission that the poor construction would not answer and that it would practically have to be abandoned. In other words the state will lose \$25,000.

State highway engineers, instead of routing the road in a straight line which would have shortened it considerably, followed the mountain side through a canyon, making an extremely heavy grade. It is this part of the road that will be abandoned. On the Moab to LaSal Junction road the estimated cost is \$144,385.45, of which the government will pay \$2,102.72. The length is 23.8 miles. Construction of both bridges of more than twenty feet span each will be included.

DYNAMITING OF FISH MUST STOP, DECLARES SIDDOWAY

So prevalent has the dynamiting of fish become in certain parts of Utah that J. H. Siddoway, state fish and game commissioner, has offered a reward of two hundred dollars to any person furnishing evidence that will lead to the conviction of anyone for "blowing up" any stream in the state where there are game fish. Word was dynamiting in the Water river near Price was the immediate cause for the announcement. It is estimated that at least four hundred fish were killed by a late explosion. Numerous complaints of similar outrages on Fish Creek up around Bear field have gone into the state fish and game commissioner.

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RELENS TO POSITION

Capt. R. L. Reley, who was recently discharged from military service, during which time he spent about a year in France, has resumed his former position as superintendent of the Green River division of the Denver and Rio Grande with headquarters at Helper, according to an announcement made last Saturday by J. H. Lake, general superintendent.

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